



General Assembly

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Amendment

LCO No. 7919

Offered by:

REP. RYAN, 139th Dist.

To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 534

File No. 506

Cal. No. 574

(AS AMENDED)

"AN ACT CONCERNING EYE EXAMINATIONS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS."

1 Strike section 1 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

2 "Section 1. (NEW) Each local and regional board of education and
3 each similar body governing a nonpublic school shall require each
4 child to have an eye examination, in accordance with the guidelines of
5 the American Academy of Ophthalmology or the American
6 Optometric Association, prior to enrolling in an elementary school
7 under its jurisdiction for first grade or a higher grade. If a child who is
8 required to have an eye examination fails to obtain such examination,
9 the local or regional board of education may deny continued
10 attendance in a public elementary school to such child."